

Amendment to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

1. (Currently Amended) A polymer composite ~~comprising~~ consisting of at least one, optionally hydrogenated, nitrile rubber polymer having a Mooney viscosity (ML 1+4 @ 100°C) in the range of from 50-30 and a polydispersity index of less than 2.7, at least one filler and optionally at least one cross-linking agent.
2. (Currently Amended) ~~A-The~~ polymer composite according to Claim 1 wherein the ~~raw polymer~~ Mooney viscosity (ML 1+4 @ 100°C) is ~~below~~ in the range of from 45-30.
3. (Currently Amended) ~~A-The~~ polymer composite according to Claim 1 wherein the ~~raw polymer~~ Mooney viscosity (ML 1+4 @ 100°C) is ~~below~~ in the range of from 40-30.
4. (Currently Amended) ~~The~~A polymer composite according to Claim 1, wherein the polymer composite comprises a peroxide or sulfur curing system.
5. (Currently Amended) A process for preparing ~~a~~the polymer composite according Claim 1 comprising mixing at least one, optionally hydrogenated, nitrile rubber polymer having a Mooney viscosity (ML 1+4 @ 100°C) in the range of from 50-30 and a polydispersity index of less than 2.7, at least one filler and optionally at least one cross-linking agent.
6. (Currently Amended) A process for the manufacture of a shaped article comprising the step of injection molding a polymer composite comprising at least one, optionally hydrogenated, nitrile rubber polymer having a Mooney viscosity (ML 1+4 @ 100°C) in the range of from 50-30 and a polydispersity index of less than 2.7, at least one filler and at least one cross-linking agent.
7. (Currently Amended) ~~A-The~~ process according to Claim 6, wherein the shaped article is a seal, a hose, a bearing pad, a stator, a well head seal, a valve plate, a cable sheathing, a wheel roller, a belts belt, in place gaskets or a pipe seal.